



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION 5
230 SOUTH DEARBORN ST.
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60604



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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

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URGENT LEGAL MATTER -- PROMPT REPLY NECESSARY
CERTIFIED MAIL: RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

ENTERPRISE WIRE
VERMONT AVE.
BLUE ISLAND, IL 60406

Re: Ninth Avenue Dump
Gary, Indiana (the "Site")
Special Notice of Potential Liability

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter is being sent to you as the listed contact person for the potentially responsible party (PRP) identified above. This letter follows upon a notice letter issued by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA or the "Agency") and the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) in connection with the above referenced Site to you and approximately 240 other parties on March 9, 1988. This letter contains a formal demand for reimbursement of costs, including interest thereon, that have been incurred in response to the environmental problems at the Site. This letter also provides notice of a period of negotiations seeking your company's voluntary participation in performance or financing of the remaining response actions necessary at the Site. Finally, this letter provides information describing the involvement of other PRPs with the Site to assist you in participating in these negotiations.

U.S. EPA has documented the release or threatened release of hazardous substances, pollutants or contaminants at the above referenced Site. U.S. EPA has spent and is considering spending public funds on actions to control such releases or threatened releases at the Site. Unless U.S. EPA reaches an agreement under which a responsible party or parties will properly perform or finance such actions, U.S. EPA will itself perform these actions pursuant to Section 104 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, 42 U.S.C. Section 9601 et seq. (CERCLA), as amended by the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986, Public Law 99-499 (SARA).

Under Section 106(a) of CERCLA, Section 107(a) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. §9906(a) and 9907(a), Section 7003 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C. §6973 (RCRA), and other laws, responsible parties

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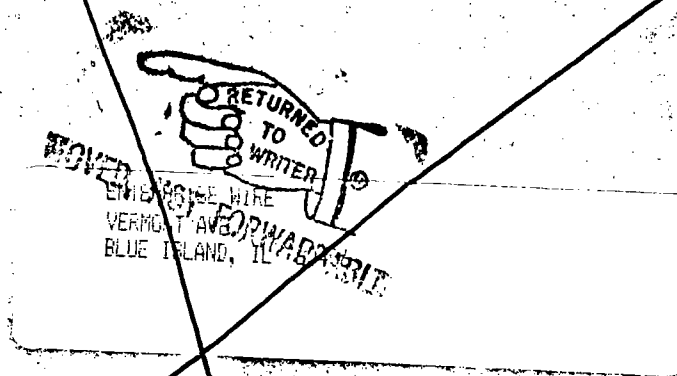
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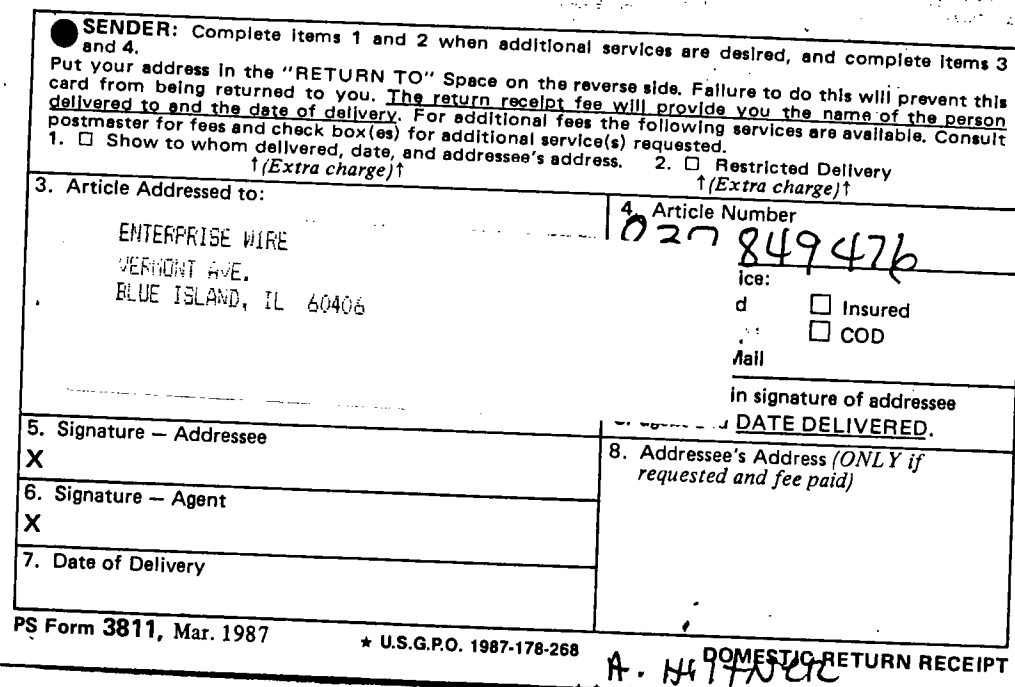


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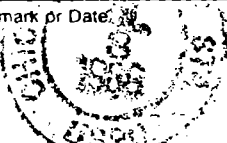


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